# **HOUSE BILL No. 1091**

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 35-46-1-11.8.

**Synopsis:** Sale of tobacco through self-service displays. Makes it a Class C infraction for the owner of a retail establishment to sell or distribute: (1) chewing tobacco; (2) cigars, cigarettes, and snuff that contain tobacco; and (3) pipe tobacco; through a self-service display other than a coin operated machine. (The current law prohibits only the sale or distribution of cigarettes through the self-service display.)

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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January 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy.



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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 35-46-1-11.8, AS ADDED BY P.L.37-2007,
SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 11.8. (a) As used in this section, "self-service
display" means a display that contains <del>cigarettes</del> tobacco in an area
where a customer:

- (1) is permitted; and
- (2) has access to the cigarettes tobacco without assistance from a sales person.
- (b) This section does not apply to a self-service display located in a retail establishment that:
  - (1) has a primary purpose to sell cigarettes; tobacco; and
  - (2) prohibits entry by persons who are less than eighteen (18) years of age.
- (c) The owner of a retail establishment that sells or distributes cigarettes tobacco through a self-service display, other than a coin operated machine operated under IC 35-46-1-11 or IC 35-46-1-11.5, commits a Class C infraction.

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1 (d) Notwithstanding IC 34-28-5-5(c), civil penalties collected under 2 this section must be deposited in the Richard D. Doyle youth tobacco 3 education and enforcement fund (IC 7.1-6-2-6).

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